

(h) The term "person" includes an individual, corporation, partnership, association, or any other organized group of persons, or legal successor or representative of any of the foregoing, and includes the United States or any agency thereof, or any other government, or any of its political subdivisions, or any agency of any of the foregoing: *Provided*, That no punishment provided by this Act shall apply to the United States, or to any such government, political subdivision, or agency.

(i) The term "maximum price", as applied to prices of commodities means the maximum lawful price for such commodities, and the term "maximum rent" means the maximum lawful rent for the use of defense-area housing accommodations. Maximum prices and maximum rents may be formulated, as the case may be, in terms of prices, rents, margins, commissions, fees, and other charges, and allowances.

(j) The term "documents" includes records, books, accounts, correspondence, memoranda, and other documents, and drafts and copies of any of the foregoing.

(k) The term "district court" means any district court of the United States, and the United States Court for any Territory or other place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States; and the term "circuit courts of appeals" includes the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

"Person."

Proviso.

"Maximum price."

"Maximum rent."

"Documents."

"District court."

"Circuit courts of appeals."

SEPARABILITY

SEC. 303. If any provision of this Act or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances shall be held invalid, the validity of the remainder of the Act and the applicability of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

APPROPRIATIONS AUTHORIZED

SEC. 304. There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary or proper to carry out the provisions and purposes of this Act.

55 Stat. 818.
Post, p. 711.

APPLICATION OF EXISTING LAW

SEC. 305. No provision of law in force on the date of enactment of this Act shall be construed to authorize any action inconsistent with the provisions and purposes of this Act.

SHORT TITLE

SEC. 306. This Act may be cited as the "Emergency Price Control Act of 1942".

Approved, January 30, 1942.

[CHAPTER 27]

AN ACT

Making supplemental appropriations for the national defense for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1942, and June 30, 1943, and for other purposes.

January 30, 1942
[H. R. 6448]
[Public Law 422]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the national defense for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1942, and June 30, 1943, and for other purposes, namely:

Fourth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942.

TITLE I—WAR DEPARTMENT

MILITARY ACTIVITIES

SEC. 101. For additional amounts for the Military Establishment, fiscal year 1942, to remain available until June 30, 1943, to be supple-

Title IV, Military Appropriation Act, 1942.
Post, pp. 128, 226.

55 Stat. 366.

mental to, and merged with, the appropriations under the same heads in the Military Appropriation Act, 1942, including the objects and subject to the limitations and conditions specified under those heads, respectively, in such Act, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

Post, p. 128.

Proviso.

Repeal.

55 Stat. 366, 597.

Expediting production: For expediting production of equipment and supplies for national defense, \$933,000,000: *Provided*, That the third proviso under the head "Expediting Production" in the Military Appropriation Act, 1942, as amended by the Act of July 16, 1941 (Public Law 179, Seventy-seventh Congress), is repealed and shall not apply to any unexpended balances under this head nor to the funds herein appropriated.

55 Stat. 377; post,
pp. 129, 228.

SIGNAL CORPS

Signal Service of the Army: For Signal Service of the Army, \$680,242,180.

55 Stat. 378; post,
pp. 129, 228.

AIR CORPS

Air Corps, Army: For Air Corps, Army, \$9,041,373,090.

55 Stat. 381; post,
pp. 129, 228.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

Ordnance Service and Supplies, Army: For Ordnance Service and Supplies, Army, \$1,547,948,529.

55 Stat. 382; post,
pp. 129, 228.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

Chemical Warfare Service, Army: For Chemical Warfare Service, Army, \$323,308,675.

Post, pp. 130, 229,
995.

DEFENSE AID

SEC. 102. Whenever the President deems it to be in the interest of national defense, he may authorize the Secretary of War to sell, transfer title to, exchange, lease, lend, or otherwise dispose of, to the government of any country whose defense the President deems vital to the defense of the United States, any defense article procured from funds appropriated in this title, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of March 11, 1941 (Public Law 11): *Provided*, That the total value of articles disposed of under this authority shall not exceed \$4,000,000,000.

55 Stat. 31.
22 U. S. C., Supp. I,
411-419.
Proviso.

Citation of title.

SEC. 103. This title may be cited as "Title IV, Military Appropriation Act, 1942".

TITLE II—GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

French Broad River
project, Tenn.

Tennessee Valley Authority Fund: For an additional amount for the Tennessee Valley Authority fund, fiscal year 1942, for (1) the construction of a hydroelectric project on the French Broad River near Dandridge, Tennessee, (2) the purchase or building of transmission facilities needed to connect this project to the existing transmission system of the Authority, and (3) the acquisition of land necessary for and the relocation of highways in connection with the accomplishment of the above project; \$30,000,000, to be available for the administrative objects of expenditure and subject to the

conditions specified under this heading in the Independent Offices Appropriations Act, 1942.

55 Stat. 118.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Transportation, Foreign Service: For an additional amount for Transportation, Foreign Service, fiscal year 1942, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of State Appropriation Act, 1942, \$800,000.

55 Stat. 267.

TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 301. No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*, That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

Persons advocating overthrow of U. S. Government.

Provisos.
Affidavit.

Penalty.

SEC. 302. This Act may be cited as the "Fourth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942".

Short title.

Approved, January 30, 1942.

[CHAPTER 28]

AN ACT

To authorize the Library of Congress Trust Fund Board to allocate one-half of the income from certain property to the Smithsonian Institution.

January 30, 1942
[H. R. 5895]
[Public Law 423]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Library of Congress Trust Fund Board is authorized to allocate to the Smithsonian Institution one-half of the net income derived after June 30, 1941, from the rental of the property located at Sixteenth and I Streets Northwest, Washington, District of Columbia, conveyed by Annie-May Hegeman to the Board by deed of December 20, 1938.

Smithsonian Institution.
Allocation of income from certain property.

Approved, January 30, 1942.

[CHAPTER 29]

AN ACT

To amend section 3 of the Subsistence Expense Act of 1926, as amended.

January 30, 1942
[H. R. 6220]
[Public Law 424]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3 of the Subsistence Expense Act of 1926 (44 Stat. 688), as amended by the Act of June 30, 1932 (47 Stat. 405), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Subsistence Expense Act of 1926, amendment.
5 U. S. C. § 823.

"SEC. 3. Civilian officers and employees of the departments and establishments, while traveling on official business and away from their designated posts of duty, shall be allowed, in lieu of their

Travel allowance for civilian personnel.